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For: **DESIGN METHOD FOR INDUSTRIAL PRODUCT USING CLOTHOID CURVE, INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS DESIGNED BY THE DESIGN METHOD, AND METHOD AND DEVICE FOR NUMERICAL CONTROL USING THE CLOTHOID CURVE**

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